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ROWZEE GO ON

One Woman Smiles at the Prisoner. While the Other Ignores Him as She Testifies of Her Marriage.

Man Accused of Slaving Lunch-Proprietor Chews Gum and Displays No Emotion in Court.

esses, the one willingly and the other who were married to Clarence W. Rowzee, charged with the murder trial before Justice Gould, in Crimina Court No. 1, today.

Mrs. Grace Anthony Rowzee, wife No 1, told of her marriage to Rowzee on February 4, 1910, in Philadelphia, The accused youth eyed her intently and she cast an occasional glance in his direction, but there was not the slightest exchange of greeting or recognition.

It was the first time that Rowzee had seen her in many months, and it was a tense situation for both. Rowzee chew ed gum vigorously and seemed composed, but the girl-wife was a trifle

Smiled at Prisoner.

Mrs. Ezma Mink Rowzee, wife No. 2, ever the objections of counsel for the defense, who insisted that she should be exempted from testifying as the deendant's wife, was plainly an unwilling vitness, cleverly evading the questions of Assistant Prosecutor S. McComas Hawken. When she entered the court room she smiled in recognition of a nod of greeting by Rowzee.

question as to the exemption of the young woman from testifying as soon as she took the witness stand. Justice Gould ruled that the defense must prove the existence of a divorce from wife No. 1 before the plea could be con-

Stubbornly resisting any efforts of the Stubbornly resisting any efforts of the prosecutors to adduce evidence which would be damaging to the defendant, the witness fairly pouted her replies to most of the questions. She frequently took refuge behind "I don't remember" or "I do not recall."

Jury Selected Today.

A jury was selected after the examination of twelve of the fifty talesmen summoned for today. More than a hunired veniremen were examined in three days. Immediately after the jury was sworn, Assistant Prosecutor Hawken outlined the government's case, and the akins of test mony began before noon. The prosecutor made it clear at the outset that the government will attempt to prove that the motive for the alleged

suicide of Rowzee on November 9, last
Mr. Hawken told the jury that the
Government would prove that "the
Mink woman" went to Philladelphia the
latter part of October to visit her sister and that Rowzee boarded the same
train at Baltimore and secidentally

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IN CONGRESS TODAY.

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free tolks. President Gompers before Senate com-





FRANCES DE SALES DEAN.

Where they taking me? Where they of assessment and condemnation, is not lad, who was "smoked" out of his make heads or tails out of it." little bed at 1706 1/2 Pennsylvania Mr. Browne submitted a substitute avenue by the fire at the Signal Corps bill, which he asked the House commitexperimental station early this moin- tee to consider. ing. The boy was carried to the home of his uncle, F. D. Mulvey, :801 G street northwest, by W. T. Gaff. Ralston spoke in favor of the bill, folney, a policeman, when the fire week by Commissioner Siddons and the threatened destruction of the Dean Rev. John Van Schaick, jr. The com-

Is Appointed to Succeed C. C. Rogers, Who Resigned at Commissioners' Request.

Taxes, who was appointed today to succeed C. C. Rogers, will begin his new duties April 1. Mr. Prince is secretary to Congressman Rufus Hardy of Texas, demnation plan proposed in the bill I

in alleys. And there are also until defendant resented attention alleged to have been pad by Rogerson to Mrs. Howeve No. 2. Who is called "Miss termoon. Dr. William Indal, secretary to the board, informed Mr. Rogers that his resignation was requested. A teagram alleged to have been sent by Rogerson to Mrs. Earns Rowzee when she was Philadelphia, it is contended by the Government, was the immediate cause of the shooting and killing of Rogerson and the attempted suicide of Rowzee on November 9, last of the Collector of Taxes following Government would prove that "the Government would prove that "the Government would prove that "the Mink woman" went to Philadelphia the last commissioner Newman, which woman went to Philadelphia the last commissioner Newman.

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Attorney Jackson H. Ralston, speaking for the bid prepared by the committies of fifty, said there are now sevently the very powers against which it

"Moving Day" for the

Committee brings out fact Fore River Club." composed of fifty "baby" House Company took no part in tolls fight members, who have had temporary offices in a ramshackle building, because there were not enough rooms to go around in the palatial marble House to Mr. Brands. Office Building, began today.

New offices in an extra story added to the office building were available.

Therefore it was moving day.

Over Until Tomore

OFFERS NEW BILL FOR ELIMINATION OF CITY'S ALLEYS

Herbret J. Browne, Tax Expert, Says Committee's Measure Is "Too General."

SAYS SQUALOR WOULD BE INCREASED BY HIGH RENT

Substitute Aims to Give Broader Powers for Correcting Sanitary Conditions.

by the committee of fifty, which inludes the wife of the President Commissioner Siddons, Health Officer Woodward, William H. Baldwin, and peal others interested in the improvement of the National Capital, was criticised as "too general in its terms" at a hearing before the House District Committee today.

tion, spoke in criticism of the proposed now bill and his argument may result in its redrafting. William J. Kehoe, one of the committee of fifty, agreed that paragraph three, relating to the method taking me?" yelled the four-year-old clear. Mr. Browne said he "couldn't

Room Thronged.

William H. Baldwin and Jackson H. lines. lowing up the arguments made last ferring to the recent message of the

terms," said Mr. Browne. "Specific firstment of the unfortunate Mexican should be required. This bill proposes to give the Commissioners blanket authority to open up minor streets and Congress heretofore has held a firm hand in such matter, instituted a firm hand in such matter instituted a firm ha

Would Increase Rents.

Mr. Browne said that under the con-

Baby" Members of House Frinting Company, appearing in The Times on March 16, indicated that alle-Disintegration of the "Outcasts' gations had been made to the effect that Clinton X. Brands, a defendant, had 'shot' a female bookkeeper.

The composed of fifty 'baby' House nembers, who have had temporary of "Shocked" was the word used in the permission of New Jerson.

JONES ASSAILS **MEXICAN POLICY** AND REPEAL BILL

Senate Told British Support of Monroe Doctrine Bought at Humiliating Price.

SEES RAILROAD BACK OF TOLLS DEMANDS

Washington Senator Portrays Congress as "Rebellious Group of Schoolboys."

exemption provision of the Panama canal act was begun in the Senate today when Senator Jones of Washington made a vigorous speech in opposition to re-

Prefacing his remarks with the statement that he had refused to criticise the Mexican policy of the President, though he thought grave mistakes had been made. Senator Jones proceeded to attack the repeal policy. He contrasted sharp. Herbert J. Browne, a taxation expert, ly the Democratic position, including representing the Tax Reform Associa- that of President Wilson in 1912, and

"Rebellious Schoolboys.

Senator Jones characterized the attitude of the United States as humiliating. in purchasing Great Britain's support to unhold the Monroe doctrine. He portrayed Congress as being called together like a lot of "rebellious schoolboys," and being told what it must do to support the foreign policy of the United States.

Back of all this demand for repeal Senator Jones saw the hand of the Canadian Pacific railroad, Canadian in terests and transcontinental railroad In the course of his speech, after re

President, he said: "What are the other matters of ever apartment. The boy is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Dean.

BENL PRINCE TOBE

Rev. John Van Schalck, ir. The committee room was thronged with parties interested in the movement to eliminate alleys in the District.

"The bill is entirely too general in its terms," said Mr. Browne. "Specific legislation is a part of the unfortunate Mexican situation. That this legislation is a part of the unfortunate Mexican situation but I see no escape from it. That it is a part of an understanding expressed, or tacitly implied, relating to Mexico is shown by the words of the message.

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motion section. The coupling of the White House an-nouncement on Panama tolls with the and has been a resident of Washington the value of property in the alleys would visit of Sir Lionel Carden's explained for seven years. He is thirty-one years be enhanced and that rents would in- en good authority as the culm nation of old, and was born in Limestone county, crease. He also criticised the fact that a series of negotiations between the Tex., where for four years he served as deputy tax assessor. In 1904 he was graduated from the State Normal School of Texas, and seven years later removed to Washington as secretary to Congressman Hardy. He was married last year to Miss Cornella B, Simpson, of Washington.

Collector Rogers, in response to a request of the Commissioners, submitted the alleys. Some people on the out-

was invoked?
"Are we so weak or so entangled in
the meshes of our own d plomacy that
the demands of England, based upon
the selfish interests of the Canadian
Pacific Hallroad Commany, must be

Law for Birth Records

Compliance with the law providing for he prompt reporting of births is urged reports, the mortality statistics

Treasurer of New Jersey Will Wed His Secretary

TRENTON, N. J., March 18.—The ensidered. Liecause of absence of committee the House foreign Affairs Committee, the House foreign Affairs Committee the House foreign Affairs Commit

MISSING HIGH SCHOOL GIRL



MYRTLE BUCHANAN, Missing Business High School Girl, Sought By Mother and the Police.

ARRANGE NATIONAL HALF-AND-HALF FIGHT

Officers of Committee of 100 Myrtle Buchanan Seen Shopping Will Meet Tonight to Go Over Work of the Week.

The executive committee of the com-

tropical countries know that in many cities the streets are less than thirty feet in width and yet the houses are said in mediately the newspapers sanitary, well ventilated, and pleasant to live in. The trouble with Washington alleys les inside the houses, not outside. You will find places where six or seven colored persons are sleeping in one room, for instance.

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entering Mexico. The British minister has a long conference with the President the President that President the president the report of the facts presented in the report of the her.'

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The police were informed last night that Miss Bucharan was seen during to committee's suggestion favorably, time of the afternoon shopping in a Seventh street store. Special instructions were committeed to the facts presented in the report of the facts presented in the report of the facts presented in the report of the have been approached have met the afternoon shopping in a Seventh street store. Special instructions were committee's suggestion favorably, time of the part of these organizations have pledged their aid and are distributing an't understad what has happened to the facts presented in the report of the facts presented in the rep reports may be delayed for a short time.
Each member of the executive committee however, has been working with one or more of the eighteen national bodies represented in this city.

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represented in this city.

On Monday, the emisculated George taxation bill will probably be called up for a vote in the House. This measure practically doubles the tax receipts in the National Capital, and is regarded by supporters of the half-and-half plan as an indirect attempt to abrogate the Organic Act. Recognizing this fact, redoubled energy is being put forth in the personal canvass of Congressmen and Senators.

Dollce, Mrs. Buchanan said she thought a young man who called at the house Thursday night might have some knowledge of her daughter's whereabouts. She refused her daughter poung man to an entertainment that night, and the girl told her she would be sorry for her action.

The young man was introduced to Mrs. Buchanan as a high school student, but the mother says he is at least

fact that it is a maxation measure.

A concerted fight against this bill, they fear, would be met by the supporters of the measure with the argu-Capital are opposing it primarily because its enartment would mean the

Has Promises Enough to Steamer Breaking Up on Pass Act Liberating Slayer.

ALBANY, N. Y., March 18.-The fight A heavy sea is rapidly breaking up the ford White, was shifting today from The importance of a strict compli-ance with this law, the report states, the Federal courts in New Hampshire carnot be overestimated, as, without to the New York Legislature. John R. Golden, wealthy assembly, man from the Howery, author of two resolutions "calling off" this State's "persecution" of Thaw was today "sounding out" fellow members of the assembly on their attitude toward the resolutions.

Therefore it was moving day.

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For weeks Golden has been collecting that the data of the Consaids of the Constant Committee held hearing on alley elimination bin.

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in Seventh Street Store. Police Are Told.

Convinced that Myrtle Buchanan, the mittee of 100 will meet tonight at the sixteen-year-old Business High School office of H. B. F. Macfarland, the chair- student, who has been missing since man, to canvass the national organiza- last Friday from her home, \$508 T street tions having headquarters in Washing- northwest, is still in the city, the police nothing to do with sanitary conditions. It's the people in the houses. Put a family accustomed to squalid conditions in the finest home in Washington and that home soon would become squalid. Those of you who have visited semi-transfer of your whole the proposal of the young woman.

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Several of these organizations have trouble before, she said today. "I

Face a Handicap.

While the members of the committee of 160 regard the George bill with the Prouty amendment as one of the most dangerous measures to the interests of the National Capital now pending in Congress, they have been handicapped in their campaign against it by the left the city to the verse of the National Capital now pending in their campaign against it by the left the city to the verse of the National Capital now pending in the first investigation in their campaign against her husban were occurring in the streets of Paris today, Mme. Caillaux, who has brought France to the verge of a political crisis by the slaying of Gaston Calmette, editor of the Figaro, sat on a little iron cot in the police sate is still in Washington.

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granted, right or wrong? Have any nations besides England objected to the legislation it is proposed to repeal?"

Delegate From Bowery Avers He | Mrs. Dean came to Washington several months ago from Massachusetts.

by the Health Department in its wek- to free Harry K. Thaw, slaver of Stan- City of Sydney on Sambra Rocks, not ly report, made public today. wenty-five miles from Hailfax. The steamer's hull was shattered when the last wireless report was re-belved, and she was expected to break up at almost any hour. Captain McDonald said today that

From promises made to him by mem-From promises made to him by mem-Pavlowa Snaps Tendon

WILSON DISAPPROVES PLAZA AWARDS AFTER REPORT ON B. & O. DEAL

Many Small Land Owners Suffer as Result of Decision and Probably Will Sell Their Claims to Speculators for Almost Nothing.

President Wilson this morning disapproved all the awards for property needed by the Government for the new Union Station plaza.

This action was taken following the examination by the President of a report by a special investigator of the Department of Justice, charging that the award made to the Baltimore and Ohio railroad was grossly exorbitant, exceeding by \$200,000 a proper valuation of the property. The report substantiated the original charges made by Chairman Ben Johnson, of the House District Committee.

A new act of Congress will be required, it is said, before new proceedings can be brought to obtain the property.

THREE MILLION DOLLARS INVOLVED.

More than three million dollars is involved in the awards. Of this amount more than \$1,155,000 represents the property owned by the Baltimore and Ohio railroad. Altogether there are 177 property owners to whom the President's decision will prove a crushing blow. The awards were made by condemnation juries more than a year ago. Since that time all these properties have been held up, to the great discomfort of the owners.

The money for the awards became available last June with the passage of the sundry civil bill. Following the passage of this act, appropriating the money, Chairman Johnson filed his charges with the President.

WILSON REGRETS ACTION.

WEEPS IN HER CELL AS PARIS MOBS RIOT

Mme. Caillaux Affected by Attacks of Populace-Strife Grows More Bitter.

The beautiful woman who disrupted a

cabinet and caused her husband's retire.

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The callaux home to attend her were sen away.

The violence of attacks made upon Callaux and his wife has aroused sympathy for them in some quarters, and it is evident that both are on the verge of collapse. Georges Clemenceau, former premier, today declared the entire affair was similar to the Dreyfus case, the poison because she was worried, but deel ned to make any further statement.

Mrs. Dean came to Washington several months ago from Massachusetts.

Steamer Recolling Une of the Paris

The titles she retused. The hands which most of the buildings have already been razed. Most of the houses on the land involved in the present proceedings have long been vacant, the owners being unable to rent, sell or mortgage them.

Inquiry By M. H. Beach.

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The first investigation upholding that le be permitted to go no further.

The factional strife and public sentiment aroused by the killing of Calmette and the charges made against Calliaux and the c

HALIFAX, Nova Scoti t, March 18.— torial declared.

Dewaleff said it was lucky that he was the President has spent weeks examnot present when Gains its was shot.

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The President is said to regret extremely the necessity of making the ecision he reached this morning. For weeks and months the White House mail has been filled with pathetic appeals from small property owners whose savings have been tied up, pending a final disposition of the case. The President had hoped to be able to divide the awards, approving those for the small properties and leaving those to the Baltimore and Ohio for separate handling. He has been advised by the Department of Justice, however, that, legally, this could not be done. In the face of the convincing evidence collected regarding the prices agreed upon for the Baltimore and Ohio property.

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otherwise than disapprove the entire

attempt to buy up for a song the claims nothing with her, and she believes the girl threw her clothing and other believes the lorsings out of the window to some one below Thursday night, after the young man who wanted to take her to an entertainment had left the house.

Woman Who Swallowed

Mercury May Recover

Callieux and the street demonstrations. She feeted by the street demonstrations. The property affected extends from the case of the present owners. The property affected extends from the Un on Station to the Capitol grounds, excepting the two blocks bounded by Band C streets and Delaware and New Jersey avenues, which were acquired under a previous proceding and from the Caillaux nome to attend her were sen away.

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were speedily dispersed.

Maurice Dewaleff, editor of the Paris Midi, in a savage article today, declared that Mme. Calilaux must go to prison.

"I have more respect for a street walker than her in her silks," the editors. Who is a resident of Tenntorial declared total declared to the same of the walker than her in her silks, the editorial declared total declared total declared to total declared to the same of the walker than her in her silks, the editorial declared total declared to the same of the was injured by a fall from his horse, and the was injured by a fall f

why employes in the Figure offices did not fell Mme, Caillaux in her tracks, why employes in the Figure offices did not fell Mme, Caillaux in her tracks.

John Bower Is Killed by

Fall at Soldiers' Home

According to the appears in the case back to Attorney General McReynolds, stating by a brief and formal letter, that he had decided to disapprove the awards.

Falling over a balustrade on the third floor of the Grant building at the Soldiers' Home. John Bower one of the immates, struck on his head on the first floor and was killed instantly early to coupled, and have been unable to make any leases with tenants, or borrow any money on the properties.